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TOWN OFFICERS

FOR THE YEAR ENDING JANUARY 31, 1940

Representative to General Court

BERNADETTE E. CHAROIS

	Term Expires
Town Clerk	
Henry P. Gainey	March 1940
Moderator	
William H. Doonan	November 1940
Town Treasurer	
Albina Cournoyer	March 1940
Selectmen	
David C. Emond	March 1940
Charles E. Sawyer	March 1941
J. Willard Buttrick	March 1942
Highway Agent	
J. Alfred Chouinard	March 1940
Water Commissioners	
Joseph Bernier	March 1940
Alphonse J. Pelletier	March 1941
Charles S. Charois	March 1942
Fire Wards	
William H. Doonan	March 1940
L. John Rodier	March 1940
Alphonse A. Bergeron	March 1940

Surveyors of Wood and Lumber

William H. Doonan	March 1940
George E. Robbins	March 1940
Melvin O. Lawrence	March 1940
Camille Vaillancourt	March 1940
Joseph H. Chouinard	March 1940
Joseph Bernier	March 1940

Public Weighers

Joseph Bernier	March 1940
William H. Doonan	March 1940
John E. Fowler	March 1940
John T. Barnes	March 1940
David C. Emond	March 1940
Jules Leblanc	March 1940
Camille Vaillancourt	March 1940
J. Alfred Chouinard	March 1940
Romuald Thibeault	March 1940
Lenwood O. Walker	March 1940

Park Commissioners

Jules Leblanc	March 1940
Arthur J. Chouinard	March 1941
Ernest Fournier	March 1942

Cemetery Trustees

Charles W. Roots	March 1940
Elwood E. Livingston	March 1941
Frank Muro	March 1942

Trustees of Chamberlin Public Library

Chester C. Pease	March 1940
Eugene H. Coffin	March 1941
James C. Taft	March 1942

Sexton

Albert J. Lavery	March 1940

Supervisors of Check List

Bernadette E. Charois	November 1940
O. John Fortin	November 1940
Albina Caouette	November 1940

Tax Collector

William H. Doonan	March 1940

Board of Health

Harlan E. Karr, M. D., Health Officer	
David C. Emond	March 1940
Charles E. Sawyer	March 1941
J. Willard Buttrick	March 1942

Auditors

Thomas C. Rodger	March 1940
Albina Caouette	March 1940

Board of Public Welfare

David C. Emond, Overseer	March 1940
Charles E. Sawyer	March 1941
J. Willard Buttrick	March 1942

Police Officers

Oswald O. Rodier, Chief, appointed	March 1940
Gilbert D. St. Pierre, Special, appointed	March 1940
Louis Emond, Special, appointed	March 1940
Charles W. Roots, Special, appointed	March 1940
Leo Lemire, Special, appointed	March 1940

Janitor Town Hall

Charles W. Roots	March 1940

TOWN WARRANT

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Greenville in the County of Hillsborough in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said Greenville on Tuesday, the twelfth day of March next, between the hours of ten of the clock in the forenoon and four of the clock in the afternoon, then and there to bring in your ballots for the following town officers:

Town clerk for one year; one selectman for three years; town treasurer for one year; tax collector for one year; highway agent for one year; water commissioner for three years; cemetery trustee for three years; library trustee for three years; two auditors for one year; three firewards for one year; also to bring in your ballots for the election of Delegates-at-large, Alternate Delegates-at-large, Delegates and Alternate Delegates to the National Convention of the various political parties to be held to nominate party candidates for President and Vice President of the United States.

And at eight of the clock in the afternoon of the same day at the same place to act upon the following subjects:

Article 1. To choose all necessary officers not chosen by the Australian ballot.

Article 2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same.

Article 3. To hear reports of agents, auditors, committees and officers heretofore chosen and pass any vote relating thereto.

Article 4. To see if the town will vote to authorize the selectmen and town treasurer to borrow money in anticipation of taxes, or take any action thereon.

Article 5. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to insure employees of the highway department, firemen, street lighting system and other liability insurance, or take any action thereon.

Article 6. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $222.01, the state to contribute $888.04, these amounts to be used jointly as a relief fund and to be expended on Class V highways, so-called, or, will raise and appropriate the sum of $1,683.00, the state to appropriate a like amount, the money to be used as a state construction fund, and must be spent on what has been known as the Turnpike, or take any action thereon.

Article 7. To see if the town will vote to petition the state tax commission to have an audit made by the municipal accounting division and to make an appropriation to cover the expense of such audit.

Article 8. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $100.00 to the Monadnock Region Association of Scenic New Hampshire for the issuance and distribution of printed matter, newspaper and magazine advertising, calling attention to the resources and natural advantages of the Town in cooperation with the other thirty-seven towns in the Monadnock Region.

Article 9. To see if the town will vote to accept from James C. Taft, as a gift, a certain parcel of land situate on the East side of Adams Street, known as the old ball field, and to be hereafter known as the Greenville Recreation Field given in memory of Herbert J. and Ida F. Taft, or take any action thereon.

Article 10. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a gift from Columbian Real Estate Company, a parcel of land now owned by the Company near the junction of Main and River Streets, or take any action thereon.

Article 11. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a gift from Columbian Real Estate Company, the way now known as Columbia Road, the same to be used as a public street, or take any action thereon.

Article 12. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a gift from Columbian Real Estate Company, that portion of Ashton Place now owned by the Company, the same to be used as a public street, or take any action thereon.

Article 13. To see if the town will vote to authorize the selectmen to administer or dispose of any real estate acquired by the town through tax collector's deeds, or take any action thereon.

Article 14. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, this twenty-sixth day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and forty.

David C. Emond
Charles E. Sawyer
J. Willard Buttrick
Selectmen of Greenville

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

David C. Emond
Charles E. Sawyer
J. Willard Buttrick
Selectmen of Greenville

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF GREENVILLE, NEW HAMPSHIRE

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing Year February 1, 1940 to January 31, 1941
Compared with
Actual Revenue and Expenditures of the Previous Year February 1, 1939 to January 31, 1940

SOURCES OF REVENUE	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1939	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1940	Increase	Decrease
FROM STATE:				
Interest and Dividends Tax	$1,139 57	$1,139 57		
Insurance Tax	117 03	117 03		
Railroad Tax	253 29	253 29		
Savings Bank Tax	2,079 12	2,079 12		
Dog Taxes	109 40	109 40		
FROM LOCAL SOURCES EXCEPT TAXES:				
Business Licenses and Permits	77 00	77 00		
Fines and Forfeits, Municipal Court	58 00	58 00		
Rent of Town Hall and Other Buildings	1,167 49	1,000 00		$167 49
Interest Received on Taxes and Deposits	4 18			4 18
Income of Departments:				
Candidates filing fees	6 00	6 00		
Miscellaneous	219 54	8 00		211 54
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	1,078 01	1,000 00		78 01
FROM LOCAL TAXES OTHER THAN PROPERTY TAXES:				
(a) Poll Taxes	1,062 00	1,062 00		
(b) National Bank Stock Taxes	4 50	4 50		
Tax Sales redeemed	40 00			40 00

Amount Raised by Issue of Bonds or Notes:				
Short Term Notes	11,000 00	11,000 00		
Cash on Hand	5,622 80	4,862 22		760 58
TOTAL REVENUES FROM ALL SOURCES EXCEPT PROPERTY TAXES	$24,037 93	$22,776 13		$1,261 80
Amount to be Raised by Property Taxes		27,925 37		
TOTAL REVENUES		$50,701 50		

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES	Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1939	Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year 1940	Increase	Decrease
Current Maintenance Expenses:				
GENERAL GOVERNMENT:				
Town Officers' Salaries	$1,179 00	$1,255 00	$76 00	
Town Officers' Expenses	676 52	600 00		$76 52
Election and Registration Expenses	96 61	300 00	203 39	
Municipal Court Expenses	33 00	33 00		
Expenses Town Hall and Other Town Buildings	2,478 71	1,400 00		1,078 71
PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY:				
Police Department	1,462 35	1,500 00	37 65	
Fire Department	1,414 13	500 00		914 13
Board of Public Welfare	100 00			100 00
HEALTH:				
Health Department, including subsidy	1,365 77	750 00		615 77
Vital Statistics	47 51	50 00	2 49	
Sewer Maintenance	51 60	100 00	48 40	
HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES:				
Town Maintenance—Summer	1,935 74	2,000 00	64 26	
Street Lighting	3,444 23	3,400 00		44 23

General Expenses of Highway Department—Winter	2,005 70	2,500 00	494 30	
Bounties	1 80			1 80
Advertising Town Resources	2,000 00			2,000 00
Damages	50 00			50 00
LIBRARIES:				
Libraries	500 00	500 00		
PUBLIC WELFARE:				
Town Poor	3,334 63	2,500 00		834 63
Old Age Assistance	676 42	1,000 00	323 58	
PATRIOTIC PURPOSES:				
Memorial Day and Other Celebrations	125 00	125 00		
Aid to Soldiers and their families	641 58	500 00		141 58
RECREATION:				
Parks and Playgrounds, including band concerts	28 40	28 40		
PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISES:				
Fire apparatus	3,491 00			3,491 00
Tax Refund	8 00			8 00
INTEREST:				
On Temporary Loans—On Bonded Debt	292 04	275 00		17 04
Outlay for New Construction and Permanent Improvement				
HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES:				
Class V	221 18	222 01	83	
Liability Insurance	444 08	330 20		113 88
Indebtedness:				
PAYMENT ON PRINCIPAL OF DEBT:				
(a) Temporary Loans	11,000 00	11,000 00		
(b) Long Term Notes	1,000 00			1,000 00
Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:				
County Taxes	12,855 84	12,332 89		522 95
Payments to School Districts	8,468 00	7,500 00		968 00
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	$61,428 84	$50,701 50	$1,250 90	$11,978 24

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

Received for 310 auto permits	$1,078 01	
Paid Town Treasurer		$1,078 01
Received for filing candidacies, annual meeting	$6 00	
Paid Town Treasurer		$6 00

RECEIVED FOR DOG LICENSES

40 Males at $2.00 each	$80 00	
12 Spayed at $2.00 each	24 00	
1 Female at $5.00 each	5 00	
1 Kennel license	12 00	
	$121 00	
Less fees	11 60	
	$109 40	
Paid Town Treasurer		$109 40

Respectfully submitted,
HENRY P. GAINEY,
Town Clerk.

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TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

Taxes for 1936

Amount due February 1, 1939	$105 10	
Paid Town Treasurer	72 00	
Balance unpaid February 1, 1940		$33 10

Taxes for 1937

Amount due February 1, 1939	$530 84	
Less abatements per list	24 00	
	$506 84	
Paid Town Treasurer	227 69	
Balance unpaid February 1, 1940		$279 15

Taxes for 1938

Amount due February 1, 1939	$2,643 45	
Less abatements per list	56 00	
	$2,587 45	
Paid Town Treasurer	2,129 06	
Balance unpaid, February 1, 1940		$458 39

Taxes for 1939

Selectmen's warrant	$45,138 17
Plus unlisted taxes	12 00
Plus interest collected	4 18
	$45,154 35
Less abatements per list	34 00
	$45,120 35
Less discounts per tax book	539 21

	$44,581 14	
Paid Town Treasurer	40,895 06	
Balance uncollected February 1, 1940		$3,686 08
Total uncollected taxes February 1, 1940		$4,456 72

Respectfully submitted,
Wm. H. Doonan,
Collector.

TOWN TREASURER'S REPORT

Dr.	
Cash on hand, February 1, 1939	$5,622 80
Received from:	
Wm. H. Doonan, tax collector:	
1936 taxes	72 00
1937 taxes	227 69
1938 taxes	2,129 06
1939 taxes	40,895 06
H. P. Gainey, town clerk:	
Dog licenses	109 40
Candidates' filing fees	6 00
Auto taxes	1,078 01
J. C. Taft, Justice, court fees	58 00
Town hall rent	742 00
Post office rent	400 00
Legion hall rent	25 49
Pool table licenses	40 00
Junk licenses	32 00
Show permit	5 00
Received from school treas., share of boiler insurance	24 92
Received from New England Tel. & Tel. Co., ½ share in poles	153 42
Received from Selectmen, taxes for property of Mrs. Gauthier	40 00
Louis Beausoleil, sidewalk repair	9 80
J. C. Taft, bought 2 metal ventilators	20 00
H. S. LeCourt, bought cast iron pipe	9 00
State Treasurer:	
Insurance tax	117 03
Railroad tax	253 29
Savings bank tax	2,079 12
Interest and dividends tax	1,139 57
Mason Village Savings Bank, temporary loans	11,000 00

Check issued and not cashed	2 40	
		$66,291 06

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Paid 509 Selectmen's orders	$61,428 84	
Cash on hand, February 1, 1940	4,862 22	
		$66,291 06

Respectfully submitted,

ALBINA COURNOYER,

Town Treasurer.

SELECTMEN'S REPORT

WE HEREWITH SUBMIT THE FOLLOWING REPORT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JANUARY 31, 1940

VALUATION

	Land and buildings	$634,581 00	
	Electric plants	54,000 00	
24	Horses	1,520 00	
86	Cows	4,725 00	
1	Other neat stock	50 00	
1408	Fowls	1,408 00	
	Portable mills and machinery	250 00	
13	Gasoline pumps and tanks	1,005 00	
	Stock in trade	197,058 00	
	Mills, water-power and machinery	237,368 00	
			$1,131,965 00

EXEMPTED FROM LOCAL TAXES

Soldiers' Exemption:		
Adrian Alix, real estate	$1,000 00	
Napoleon Bouley, real estate	1,000 00	
Ernest Butler, real estate	950 00	
Alfred J. Caron, real estate	1,000 00	
Fernand Emond, real estate	1,000 00	
Ernest Fournier, real estate	1,000 00	
Bonaventure Godin, real estate	1,000 00	
Joseph Lafreniere, garage	50 00	
Trefle Lafreniere, real estate	1,000 00	
L. John Rodier, real estate	1,000 00	
Henry Parent, real estate	300 00	
		$9,300 00

TAXES AND RATES

Tax rate per $100.00 valuation	$3 89
Assessors' valuation	$1,131,965 00
Appropriation for 1939	$48,593 20

Less revenue and credits: (estimated)		
Interest and dividend tax	$1,138 05	
Insurance tax	119 00	
Railroad tax	280 00	
Savings Bank tax	2,165 00	
Motor vehicle permits	1,000 00	
Rent of Town Hall	850 00	
		$5,552 05
		$43,041 15
Plus overlay		2,089 02
Net amount to be raised by taxation		$45,130 17
Less 727 poll taxes	$1,454 00	
National Bank stock taxes	4 50	
		$1,458 50
Amount to be raised by property taxes on which town tax rate is figured		$43,671 67
Taxes committed to Collector:		
Property taxes	$43,671 67	
Poll taxes	1,454 00	
National Bank stock taxes	4 50	
		$45,130 17

TOWN APPROPRIATIONS

1	Town officers' salaries	$1,155 00
2	Town officers' expenses	750 00
3	Election and registration expenses	100 00
4	Town Hall	2,000 00
5	Police department	1,400 00
6	Fire department	600 00
7	Health department	1,150 00
8	Sewer maintenance	100 00
9	Town maintenance, summer roads	2,000 00
10	Winter roads	2,000 00
11	Class V highways	221 61
12	Advertising Town resources	2,000 00
13	Street lighting	3,400 00

14	Liability insurance	285 75	
15	Library	500 00	
16	Board of welfare and relief (salaries)	100 00	
17	Old age assistance	650 00	
18	Soldiers' aid	500 00	
19	Town poor	3,000 00	
20	Memorial Day	125 00	
21	Parks and playgrounds	25 00	
22	Interest	275 00	
23	Indebtedness payment	1,000 00	
24	Fire apparatus	3,500 00	
25	County tax	12,855 84	
26	Schools	8,900 00	
			$48,593 20

ASSETS

Cash on hand February 1, 1940	$4,862 22	
Taxes not collected:		
1936 levy	33 10	
1937 levy	279 15	
1938 levy	458 39	
1939 levy	3,686 08	
		$9,318 94

LIABILITIES

Balance due School district	$5,004 40	
Mason Village Savings Bank, Town House notes	4,000 00	
Harlan E. Karr, M. D., due on health appropriation	75 00	
	$9,079 40	
Surplus	239 54	
		$9,318 94

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Description	Value	
Town Hall building	$74,000 00	
Furniture and equipment	2,500 00	
Sewerage system	2,800 00	
Library, furniture and equipment	5,000 00	
Fire Department equipment	6,875 00	
Highway Department equipment and building	550 00	
Park	200 00	
Water system	30,000 00	
All other property:		
School building	20,000 00	
Street light fixtures, poles and wires	5,000 00	
Fire service pipes and hydrants	5,500 00	
Land for dump	100 00	
Police Department equipment	100 00	
Land and buildings acquired through Tax Collector's deeds	150 00	
		$152,775 00

SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS FOR THE YEAR ENDING JANUARY 31, 1940

From Local Taxes

Property taxes committed to Collector for 1939	$43,671 67
Plus Bank Stock tax collected	4 50
Plus unlisted taxes	12 00
Plus interest collected	4 18
	$43,692 35
Less discounts for 1939	539 21
	$43,153 14
Less uncollected property taxes	3,320 08
	$39,833 06
Plus poll taxes actually collected	1,062 00
Total above collections paid Town Treasurer	$40,895 06
Previous years' taxes paid Town Treasurer	2,428 75
Total amount paid Town Treasurer	$43,323 81

From State

Insurance tax	$117 03
Railroad tax	253 29
Savings Bank tax	2,079 12
Interest and dividends tax	1,139 57

From Selectmen

Redeemed taxes and interest	$40 00

From Local Sources Except Taxes on Property and Polls

Dog licenses	$109 40
Candidates' filing fees	6 00

Motor vehicle permits	1,078 01	
Court fees	58 00	
Rent of Town House building	1,167 49	
Business licenses and permits	77 00	
Miscellaneous (see Treasurer's report)	219 54	

Receipts Other Than Current Revenue

Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	$11,000 00	
Cash on hand February 1, 1939	5,622 80	
		$66,291 06

SUMMARY OF EXPENDITURES FOR YEAR ENDING JANUARY 31, 1940

Town officers' salaries	$1,179 00
Town officers' expenses	676 52
Election and registration	96 61
Municipal court	33 00
Town Hall	2,478 71
Police department	1,462 35
Fire department	1,414 13
Bounties	1 80
Health department	1,365 77
Vital statistics	47 51
Sewer maintenance	51 60
Summer roads	1,935 74
Winter roads	2,005 70
Class V highways	221 18
Street lighting	3,444 23
Liability insurance	444 08
Libraries	500 00
Old age assistance	676 42
Town poor	3,334 63
Memorial Day	125 00
Soldiers' aid	641 58
Board of welfare and relief (salaries)	100 00
Advertising Town resources	2,000 00
Damages	50 00
Fire apparatus	3,491 00

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Tax refund	8 00	
Parks and playgrounds	28 40	
Interest	292 04	
Temporary loans	11,000 00	
Long term notes (Town Hall)	1,000 00	
County tax	12,855 84	
Schools	8,468 00	
Total expenditures		$61,428 84

TOWN OFFICERS' SALARIES

Paid:		
Thomas C. Rodger, auditor	$15 00	
Albina Caouette, auditor	15 00	
David C. Emond, selectman	250 00	
Charles E. Sawyer, selectman	200 00	
J. Willard Buttrick, selectman	200 00	
J. Willard Buttrick, overseer	24 00	
Henry P. Gainey, town clerk	125 00	
Albina Cournoyer, town treasurer	125 00	
William H. Doonan, tax collector	225 00	
		$1,179 00

Appropriation	$1,155 00	
Taken from other accounts	24 00	
		$1,179 00

TOWN OFFICERS' EXPENSES

Paid:	
Wilton National Bank, check book	$3 13
Transcript Printing Co., printing town reports	343 35
Donat Corriveau, reporting deeds and mortgages	6 04
Estate of James Melzer, dog-book	2 10
Wilfred J. Boisclair, reporting deaths	30
The National Survey, New Hampshire register	1 50
Joseph A. Desrosiers, envelopes	16 38

Harlan E. Karr, M. D., trip to Concord	12 00	
N. A. Berube, Town Clerks' Asso., dues	2 00	
W. P. Garrison, auto guide	3 75	
Wheeler & Clark, supplies	3 63	
Albina Cournoyer, expense	1 61	
William H. Doonan, postage	10 80	
N. H. Assessors Asso., dues	2 00	
Arthur Ouellette, distributing town reports	3 00	
Ernest Sawyer, distributing town reports	3 00	
Edson C. Eastman, supplies	10 18	
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone service	23 90	
Cleary Pharmacy, supplies	4 62	
David C. Emond, attending Assessors' meeting	5 50	
David C. Emond, attending Relief meeting	7 60	
David C. Emond, postage and expense	5 48	
Charles E. Sawyer, printing	17 50	
Charles E. Sawyer, attending Assessors meeting and printing	12 00	
Charles E. Sawyer, use of car attending meeting with County Commissioners	7 00	
Charles E. Sawyer, attending Assessors meeting (2 days)	23 00	
Charles E. Sawyer, attending Relief meeting	8 75	
J. Willard Buttrick, trip to Nashua	5 00	
J. Willard Buttrick, use of car in assessing	3 00	
Henry P. Gainey, officers' bonds	35 00	
Henry P. Gainey, attending town clerks' meeting	9 75	
Henry P. Gainey, auto registrations	77 50	
A. E. Martell, supplies	6 15	
	$676 52	
Transferred to other accounts	73 48	
		$750 00
Appropriation		$750 00

ELECTION AND REGISTRATION

Paid:		
Bernadette E. Charois, supervisor	$17 00	
O. John Fortin, supervisor	17 00	
Albina Caouette, supervisor	17 00	
William H. Doonan, moderator	5 00	
Oscar E. Boisvert, ballot clerk	4 00	
George E. Robbins, ballot clerk	4 00	
Oscar E. Livingston, ballot clerk	4 00	
Amedee Duval, ballot clerk	4 00	
Oswald O. Rodier, officer	4 00	
Edson C. Eastman, check lists	6 11	
Charles E. Sawyer, printing ballots	7 50	
Greenville Cafe, lunches Town meeting	7 00	
	$96 61	
Transferred to other accounts	3 39	
		$100 00
Appropriation		$100 00

MUNICIPAL COURT

Paid:		
Justice J. C. Taft	$33 00	
Transferred to account of Police dept.	25 00	
		$58 00
Received from court fees (fines and forfeits)		$58 00

TOWN HALL

Paid:	
Garland Co., cleansers	$20 19
B. & M. R. R., freight	1 11
Henry P. Gainey, insurance	302 40
J. C. Taft, insurance	301 41
F. A. Cournoyer, insurance	301 41
West Disinfecting Co., supplies	9 65
Greenville Electric Lighting Co., bulbs	3 06
Greenville Electric Lighting Co., lights	274 54

Joseph Bernier, coal	242 88	
J. Alfred Chouinard, coal and removing ashes	611 60	
C. S. Bourgeois & Sons, supplies	10 50	
Charles W. Roots, janitor	400 00	
	$2,478 71	
Transferred to other accounts	688 78	
		$3,167 49
Appropriation	$2,000 00	
Received from rent	1,167 49	
		$3,167 49

POLICE DEPARTMENT

Paid:		
Fred W. Yelland, spot light	$20 90	
Ben Franklin Store, paint	8 55	
Rose A. Cloutier, feeding tramps	9 30	
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone service	2 15	
C. S. Bourgeois & Sons, supplies	3 41	
Gilbert D. St. Pierre, special duty	20 92	
Louis Emond, special duty	11 00	
Oswald O. Rodier, salary as chief	1,367 62	
Oswald O. Rodier, dog officer	5 00	
Oswald O. Rodier, transportation	10 50	
Oswald O. Rodier, killing dogs	3 00	
	$1,462 35	
Transferred to other accounts	39 65	
		$1,502 00
Appropriation	$1,400 00	
Received from pool licenses	40 00	
Received from junk licenses	32 00	
Received from show permit	5 00	
Received from court fines and forfeits	25 00	
		$1,502 00

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Paid:		
Albert F. Fortin, caulking hydrants	$71 21	
W. S. Darley Co., siren	166 26	
J. C. Taft, installing siren	103 90	
Denim Mills, Inc., pipe	16 25	
J. Alfred Chouinard, labor on hydrants	456 51	
C. F. Hannant, Treas., appropriation	300 00	
Oswald O. Rodier, Treas., appropriation	300 00	
		$1,414 13
Appropriation	$600 00	
Taken from other accounts	814 13	
		$1,414 13

BOUNTIES

Paid:	
David C. Emond	$1 80
Taken from other accounts	$1 80

CLASS V HIGHWAYS

Paid:		
Treasurer, State of N. H., for Highway Dept.	$221 18	
Transferred to other accounts	43	
		$221 61
Appropriation		$221 61

HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Paid:		
Harlan E. Karr, M. D., medical subsidy		$450 00
Harlan E. Karr, M. D., Health Officer		25 00
Harlan E. Karr, M. D., care of health cases		375 00
Harlan E. Karr, M. D., express and expense		2 19
J. Alfred Chouinard, care of dump		62 80
For Albert Benoit case:		
Red & White Store, supplies	$19 89	

Fortin Bakery, supplies	4 23	
Harlan E. Karr, M. D., attending case	9 00	
C. G. Cayward, M. D., attending case	2 00	
		$35 12
For Rose Lafleur case:		
J. Alfred Chouinard, fuel	$8 00	
Leon Russell, fuel	9 50	
A. J. Lavery, supplies	43 42	
Bouley & Son, supplies	2 50	
Harlan E. Karr, M. D., attending case	24 00	
		$87 42
For Peter Comolli case:		
J. D. Emond, transportation	$12 00	
Viola J. Brown, nurse, services	150 50	
Cleary Pharmacy, medical supplies	10 50	
Peterborough Hospital, medical supplies	8 50	
Bernier Fuel Co., fuel	19 36	
C. S. Bourgeois & Sons, supplies	31 18	
John Somero, supplies	5 20	
C. G. Cayward, M. D., attending case	91 00	
		$328 24
		$1,365 77
Appropriation	$1,150 00	
Taken from other accounts	215 77	
		$1,365 77

VITAL STATISTICS

Paid:	
Henry P. Gainey, recording and reporting births, marriages and deaths and expense	$39 76
Rev. Fr. Andre Doucet, reporting marriages	1 50
Rev. Fr. Leo Gilbert, reporting marriages	50
Rev. Albert W. Derbyshire, reporting marriages	1 75

C. G. Cayward, M. D., reporting births and deaths	2 75	
Harlan E. Karr, M. D., reporting births and deaths	1 25	
		$47 51
Taken from other accounts		$47 51

SEWER MAINTENANCE

Paid:		
J. Alfred Chouinard, labor and trucking	$51 60	
Transferred to other accounts	48 40	
		$100 00
Appropriation		$100 00

TOWN MAINTENANCE

Summer Roads

Paid:		
Nashua Co-op. Iron Foundry, catch basin	$10 89	
Wilton National Bank, check book	2 52	
Annett Box Co., lumber	19 75	
Prescott Grain Store, cement	17 80	
John Somero, gravel	15 40	
Hume Pipe Co. of N. E., culvert	25 09	
H. H. McGuire Co., tar	154 08	
C. S. Bourgeois & Sons, supplies	16 87	
J. Alfred Chouinard, Agent	1,673 34	
	$1,935 74	
Transferred to other accounts	64 26	
		$2,000 00
Appropriation		$2,000 00
(See Road Agent's report.)		

Winter roads

Paid:		
Town of Wilton, plowing	$24 40	

Prescott Grain Store, salt	59 40	
Mrs. Joseph Silver, gravel	15 40	
P. C. Heald, plowing	12 80	
J. C. Taft, plowing sidewalks	57 50	
C. A. Cloutier, repairs on plow	2 00	
J. Alfred Chouinard, Agent	1,834 20	
		$2,005 70
Appropriation	$2,000 00	
Taken from other accounts	5 70	
		$2,005 70

(See Road Agent's report)

ADVERTISING TOWN RESOURCES

Paid:		
F. B. Sheldon & Son, professional services	$1,350 00	
McLane Davis & Carleton, legal advice and expenses	650 00	
		$2,000 00
Appropriation		$2,000 00

STREET LIGHTING

Paid:		
Greenville Electric Lighting Co., street lights	$3,354 96	
Greenville Electric Lighting Co., repairs	89 27	
		$3,444 23
Appropriation	$3,400 00	
Taken from other accounts	44 23	
		$3,444 23

LIABILITY INSURANCE

Paid:	
Henry P. Gainey, Agent	$444 08

Appropriation	$285 75	
Taken from other accounts	158 33	
		$444 08

LIBRARY

Paid:		
J. C. Taft, Treasurer		$500 00
Appropriation		$500 00

BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE AND RELIEF
(Salaries)

Paid:		
David C. Emond, Overseer	$50 00	
Charles E. Sawyer, Investigator	25 00	
J. Willard Buttrick, Investigator	25 00	
		$100 00
Appropriation		$100 00

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

Paid:		
Treasurer, State of New Hampshire		$676 42
Appropriation	$650 00	
Taken from other accounts	26 42	
		$676 42

SOLDIERS' AID

Paid:		
Various agencies		$641 58
Appropriation	$500 00	
Taken from other accounts	141 58	
		$641 58

TOWN POOR

Paid for relief	$3,334 63

Appropriation	$3,000 00	
Taken from other accounts	334 63	
		$3,334 63

Paid various agencies for:

Ovila Bedford	$45 60
Marie Louise Bosselait	156 00
Eugene Bruneault, Jr.	30 00
Alfred Caouette, Sr.	158 70
Ludger A. Caouette	2 50
Elzear Caron	261 86
Leon Caron	19 50
Joseph L. Caron	57 48
Alfred Chouinard	33 20
Cecile Chouinard	7 00
Joseph Dancause, Jr.	55 43
Omer J. Desrosiers (care of children)	91 50
Ernest Duval	125 26
Joseph Fortin	44 00
Albert Fortin	48 15
Emile C. Fournier	93 63
Edgar Gagnon	237 72
Olivier Gagnon	56 88
Ernest J. Lacroix	123 91
Yvon Leger	95 61
Albert Ouellette	73 03
Ernest Ouellette	48 23
George Paro	139 48
Everett E. Petts	58 00
David Proulx, Sr.	125 11
Antonio Proulx	20 25
Harold Reed	25 00
Saluste Robichaud	139 45
Oswald C. Rodier	16 00
Philip H. Rodier	8 00
Joseph E. Thibeault	122 61
Robert Thibeault	183 19
Camille J. Thibeault	8 00
Mary Jane Thibeault	18 20
Daniel Twiss	216 25
Adelard Vaillancourt	85 60

Amedee Vaillancourt	10 00	
Myron Whitney	294 30	
		$3,334 63

MEMORIAL DAY

Paid:		
Henry J. LeClair Post, A. L.	$125 00	
Appropriation		$125 00

PARKS AND PLAYGROUNDS

Paid:		
Ernest H. Fournier, labor	$20 00	
Leandre Vaillancourt, labor	8 40	
		$28 40
Appropriation	$25 00	
Taken from other accounts	3 40	
		$28 40

DAMAGES

Paid:		
Patrick H. Manning, Town's share of settlement	$50 00	
Taken from other accounts		$50 00

INTEREST

Paid:		
Mason Village Savings Bank, on long term notes	$175 00	
Mason Village Savings Bank, on temporary notes	117 04	
		$292 04
Appropriation	$275 00	
Taken from other accounts	17 04	
		$292 04

FIRE APPARATUS

Paid:		
C. S. Bourgeois & Sons, chassis	$741 00	
Farrar Co., pumper and equipment	2,750 00	
Transferred to other accounts	9 00	
		$3,500 00
Appropriation		$3,500 00

TAX REFUND

Paid:	
Frank B. Weaver, over-age, poll taxes refunded	$8 00
Taken from other accounts	$8 00

TEMPORARY LOANS

Paid:	
Mason Village Savings Bank	$11,000 00
Received from Mason Village Savings Bank	$11,000 00

INDEBTEDNESS PAYMENT

Paid:	
Mason Village Savings Bank, Town House note	$1,000 00
Appropriation	$1,000 00

County Tax

Paid:	
County Treasurer	$12,855 84
Appropriation	$12,855 84

Schools

Paid:	
Gertrude G. Pease, school treasurer, balance of 1938–1939 appropriation	$4,321 00

Dog taxes less officer's fees (1938)	147 00	
Gertrude G. Pease, school treasurer, part of 1939–1940 appropriation	2,000 00	
Marietta C. Fowler, school treasurer, part of 1939–1940 appropriation	2,000 00	
Balance due school district (including 1939 dog taxes less officer's fees)	5,004 40	
		$13,472 40

Balance due on 1938–1939 appropriation (including dog taxes for 1938)	$4,468 00	
Appropriation for 1939–1940	8,900 00	
Dog taxes less officer's fees (1939)	104 40	
		$13,472 40

ABATEMENTS 1939

Bruneault, Eugene	Left town	$2 00	
Bruneault, Lydia	" "	2 00	
Michaud, Alphonse	" "	2 00	
Michaud, Cecile	" "	2 00	
Vaillancourt, Camilla	" "	2 00	
Bosselait, Albert	Paid in Concord	2 00	
Emond, Lionel	" in Peterborough	2 00	
Fogg, Edna S.	" in Michigan	2 00	
Kimball, Ralph	" in New York	2 00	
Castonguay, Adele	Not taxable	2 00	
Dustin, Florence	" "	2 00	
Dempsey, Raymond	" "	2 00	
Dempsey, Mary	" "	2 00	
Hyde, Elizabeth	" "	2 00	
Weaver, Frank B.	" "	2 00	
Fournier, Emile E.	" "	2 00	
Thibeault, Rose Alma	No funds	2 00	
			$34 00

ABATEMENTS 1937

Fagnant, Charles	Exempt	$2 00
Beausoleil, Lullia	No funds	2 00
Chouinard, Angelina	" "	2 00
Duclos, Louis	" "	2 00

Duclos, Georgianna	" "	2 00	
Emond, Mary L.	" "	2 00	
Gagnon, Urselie	" "	2 00	
Gagnon, Dorilda	" "	2 00	
Lacroix, Antoinette	" "	2 00	
Maki, Claire	" "	2 00	
Whitney, Anna	" "	2 00	
Bergeron, Cecile	Left town	2 00	
			$24 00

ABATEMENTS 1938

Fagnant, Charles	Exempt	$2 00	
Bruneault, Lydia	No funds	2 00	
Benoit, Albert	" "	2 00	
Benoit, Ida	" "	2 00	
Chouinard, Angelina	" "	2 00	
Caouette, Victoria	" "	2 00	
Duval, Ernest	" "	2 00	
Deschenes, Yvonne	" "	2 00	
Gagnon, Urselie	" "	2 00	
Gagnon, Dorilda	" "	2 00	
Jalbert, Hormidas	" "	2 00	
Jalbert, Rose Alma	" "	2 00	
Leblanc, Paul	" "	2 00	
Lafleur, Rose	" "	2 00	
Garceau, Oscar	" "	2 00	
Milot, Alcide	" "	2 00	
Milot, Alice	" "	2 00	
Ouellette, Albert J.	" "	2 00	
Proulx, David, Sr.	" "	2 00	
Paro, George	" "	2 00	
Paro, Nora	" "	2 00	
Roy, Regis	" "	2 00	
Richardson, Rose	" "	2 00	
Thibeault, Rose Alma	" "	2 00	
Vaillancourt, Germain	" "	2 00	
Vaillancourt, Camilla	" "	2 00	
Worden, Alton	" "	2 00	
Caouette, Alfred, Sr.	" "	2 00	
			$56 00

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NOTICE

Town reports are distributed about a week previous to the annual town meeting, and an effort will be made to have every citizen receive a copy. There will be few extra ones for distribution on town meeting day and those who desire one to use at town meeting should bring their copy with them.

Respectfully submitted,

David C. Emond
Charles E. Sawyer
J. Willard Buttrick
Selectmen of Greenville.

MUNICIPAL COURT

ESTABLISHED APRIL 18, 1933

Dr.

Received from fines and court costs 1939		$153 60

Cr.

Town of Greenville	$58 00	
State of New Hampshire	65 40	
Officers and witness fees	30 20	
		$153 60

Respectfully submitted,

James C. Taft, *Justice.*

REPORT OF THE OVERSEER OF THE POOR

During the past year the Town experienced the most serious industrial crisis of its existence. Naturally the effect was a constant demand for aid from the relief department.

Early in the year the Board of Public Welfare established the policy of requiring from physically able persons, some service in return for aid granted. By reason of this policy, a number of projects were accomplished with relief labor. One sewer job which otherwise would have been costly, was performed in this manner. Brooks into which surface drains discharge, were cleaned and in two instances retaining walls were built. Streets and sidewalks were swept and the town dump taken care of.

At the present time the prospects of more industrial employment early in spring are good. This, together with the lowering of the age limit to 65 years on old age assistance, should somewhat lessen the relief load. Nevertheless, relief will continue to be a problem for some time.

For the purpose of economy and efficient control, the continuation of the Board of Public Welfare as presently composed, is sincerely recommended.

Credit is hereby given the following persons for relief labor performed in proportion to amount received and ability to render service: Alfred Caouette, Sr., Elzear Caron, Joseph L. Caron, Alfred Chouinard, Joseph Dancause, Jr., Ernest Duval, Joseph Fortin, Albert Fortin, Edgar Gagnon, Olivier Gagnon, Ernest J. LaCroix, Yvon Leger, Albert Ouellette, Ernest Ouellette, David Proulx, Sr., Harold Reed, Joseph Thibeault, Robert Thibeault, Daniel Twiss, Adelard Vaillancourt and Myron Whitney.

Respectfully submitted,

David C. Emond
Overseer of the Poor.

REPORT OF FIREWARDS

The town had no serious fires during the past year. There were four signal alarms and about fifteen still alarms mostly for chimney fires. The last hydrant at the end of Mill Street has caused heavy expense for several years by freezing, evidently due to seepage of water around its base. It was deemed advisable to relocate it by carrying it under and beyond the brook to higher ground. We anticipate no further trouble with it. Six other hydrants in the fire system were repaired and put in good condition. The cost was over $300. We hope that next year expenses of this kind can be kept at a minimum.

Since the installation of the fire alarm system years ago the mills have furnished steam for the whistle. When the Denim Mills shut down the boilers in the spring the town was left without a signal alarm. This necessitated the purchase and installation of a siren at a cost of nearly $300. It is connected with the fire alarm system and boxes are pulled as before.

Pursuant to the vote of the town to purchase a pumper for fire purposes, the Fire Wards visited a number of towns and inspected several types of apparatus. The contract was finally awarded to the Farrar Co. of Woodsville, Mass. The new combination truck is mounted on a Chevrolet chassis. It carries a 500-gallon Barton centrifugal front-end pump, a 200-gallon booster tank, a 32-foot truss ladder overhead, 400 feet of 2½-inch double jacket hose, 300 feet of 1½-inch hose, 2 nozzles, and several other pieces of equipment. The appropriation of $3500 was all used in the purchase. We believe it will be a valuable asset to the town and an insurance against fire loss.

Respectfully submitted,

Wm. H. Doonan
John Rodier
A. Alphonse Bergeron
Firewards of Greenville.

DEFENDER FIRE COMPANY TREASURER'S REPORT

For the Year Ending Jan. 31, 1940

Cash on hand Feb. 1, 1939	$60 50	
May 8 received from town treasurer	100 00	
Aug. 21 received from town treasurer	100 00	
Sept. 11 received from sale of Siren	1 00	
Dec. 4 received from town treasurer	100 00	
Jan. 30 received from town treasurer	300 00	
Jan. 31 received cash	50	
		$662 00

Expenditures

Mar.	3	Braman, Dow & Co.	$9 71
Mar.	7	Gamewell Company, 12 zincs	11 90
Apr.	14	Bourgault Bros., Misc. supplies	3 25
May	8	Am. Lafrance Foamite Corp., supplies	47 50
Aug.	7	The Jennison Co., pipe sleeve & clamp	7 00
Aug.	7	Bourgault Bros., supplies and labor	8 25
Sept.	11	C. S. Bourgeois & Son, supplies and labor	24 19
Sept.	11	C. A. Cloutier, yoke, bolts, and clamps	7 20
Sept.	11	Adrien Alix, 7 hrs. labor	4 55
Sept.	11	The Jennison Co., plugs and rods	3 00
Nov.	4	State of N. H., 6 carrying straps	2 25
Nov.	4	Leander Vaillancourt, 3 hrs. labor	1 20
Nov.	4	Oswald C. Rodier, 3 hrs. labor	1 20
Nov.	4	Marcel Beausoliel, 5 hrs. labor	2 00
Nov.	4	Emile Desrosier, 5 hrs. labor	2 00
Nov.	4	Donat Duval, 5 hrs. labor	2 00
Nov.	4	The Gamewell Co., zinc & copper	11 70
Dec.	16	John Rodier, labor and truck	114 47

Dec.	19	The Gamewell Co., 6 insulated break wheels	18 13
Dec.	19	Prescott Grain Store, 50 hydrated lime	65
Dec.	19	C. S. Bourgeois & Son, spool packing, chains, oil	27 10
Dec.	19	Hypolite Fournier, labor on fire box	2 50
Jan.	9	Oswald C. Rodier, labor at town dump fire	80
Jan.	9	Ernest Fournier, labor at town dump	80
Jan.	9	The Gamewell Co., Excelsior fire alarm box glass	1 05
Jan.	9	A. A. Bergeron, labor	6 75
Jan.	9	A. A. Bergeron, care fire alarm system	10 00
Jan.	9	A. A. Bergeron, travel to Jaffrey and Sterling and labor	10 85
Jan.	9	A. A. Bergeron, labor	5 75
Jan.	31	William H. Doonan, freight and postage	5 84
Jan.	31	John Rodier, 8 hrs. watch, July 3rd	3 20
Jan.	31	Amedee Chouinard, 8 hrs. watch, July 3rd	3 20
Jan.	31	Arthur Desrosier, 8 hrs. watch, July 3rd	3 20
Jan.	31	Clyde F. Hannant, salary as clerk and treasurer	5 00
Jan.	31	Oswald O. Rodier, salary as clerk and treasurer	5 00
Jan.	31	John Rodier, care of fire truck	12 50
Jan.	31	William H. Doonan, salary as Chief	25 00
Jan.	31	John Rodier, salary as Ward	10 00
Jan.	31	Alphonse A. Bergeron, salary as Ward	10 00
Jan.	31	Wilfred C. Foss, salary as fireman	7 00

Jan.	31	Joseph Bernier, Sr., salary as fireman	7 00
Jan.	31	Napoleon Lacroix, salary as fireman	7 00
Jan.	31	Ernest Paradis, salary as fireman	3 50
Jan.	31	Gilbert St. Pierre, salary as fireman	7 00
Jan.	31	Jules Leblanc, salary as fireman	7 00
Jan.	31	Harry R. Nutting, salary as fireman	7 00
Jan.	31	Arthur Desrosier, salary as fireman	7 00
Jan.	31	Alfred J. Caron, salary as fireman	7 00
Jan.	31	Amedee Chouinard, salary as steward	35 00
Jan.	31	Clyde F. Hannant, salary as fireman	5 22
Jan.	31	Adrien Alix, salary as fireman	7 00
Jan.	31	Felix Beausoliel, salary as fireman	7 00
Jan.	31	J. Alfred Chouinard, salary as fireman	7 00
Jan.	31	Emile Proulx, salary as fireman	7 00
Jan.	31	Ernest H. Fournier, salary as fireman	7 00
Jan.	31	Leander Vaillancourt, salary as fireman	7 00
Jan.	31	Oswald C. Rodier, salary as fireman	7 00
Jan.	31	Harold Parkinson, salary as fireman	5 22
Jan.	31	Victor Blais, salary as fireman	3 50
Jan.	31	Omer Rodier, salary as fireman	7 00
Jan.	31	Romuald Thibeault, salary as fireman	7 00
Jan.	31	Amedee Vaillancourt, salary as fireman	7 00

Jan. 31	Bonaventure Godin, salary as fireman	7 00	
Jan. 31	Oswald O. Rodier, salary as fireman	3 50	
			$619 63

SUMMARY

Cash on hand Feb. 1, 1939	$60 50	
Received from town treasurer	600 00	
Received from sale of siren	1 00	
Received by cash	50	
		$662 00
Expended as per above account	$619 63	
Cash on hand Feb. 1, 1940	42 37	
		$662 00

Respectfully submitted,

OSWALD O. RODIER,
Treasurer.

REPORT OF CEMETERY TRUSTEES

The cemetery trustees submit the following report:

A number of perpetual care lots were graded over and reseeded. Raking and mowing have been done when necessary.

On Memorial Day bouquets were placed on all perpetual care lots.

Charles W. Roots
Elwood E. Livingston
Frank Muro
Trustees

TREASURER'S REPORT

Dr.

Cash on hand	$3 26	
Cash in bank	7,972 99	
Perpetual care, V. L. Parker lot	100 00	
Perpetual care, M. R. Hodgman lot	100 00	
Perpetual care, Edward Russell lot	100 00	
Perpetual care, Henry S. Farrar lot	100 00	
Interest and money in bank	236 35	
		$8,612 60

Cr.

Paid:	
H. Rousseau	$31 50
H. Rousseau	3 50
James Bell	1 25
A. J. Lavery	1 05
J. A. Gauvin	1 00
Frank Muro	67 00
Frank Muro	13 35
Frank Muro	16 65

R. C. Woodman	45 00	
Frank Muro	11 00	
Frank Muro	7 40	
Frank Muro	41 60	
A. J. Lavery	1 00	
Honore Rousseau	108 50	
James Bell	1 25	
Frank Muro	46 50	
Frank Muro	28 20	
Frank Muro	2 00	
	$427 75	
Cash in bank	8,179 34	
Cash on hand	5 51	
		$8,612 60

Respectfully submitted,
E. E. Livingston,
Treasurer.

PERMANENT FUND OF PERPETUAL CARE LOTS

Scripture, bequest	$1,000 00
Merrill, bequest	100 00
Lund, bequest	100 00
Maria Bacon, bequest	100 00
Mary Ann Kimball, bequest	100 00
Richardson & Mansfield, bequest	200 00
Mrs. D. C. Flagg, gift	100 00
Mrs. Jane Davis, gift	125 00
Mrs. L. L. Sampson, gift	50 00
W. R. Sawin, gift	50 00
Mrs. Mary J. Farrar, gift	100 00
Mrs. Charles E. Hall, gift	100 00
Mrs. Lucinda Harris, gift	100 00
Mrs. John G. Wooley, gift	100 00
Stephen H. Bacon, bequest	100 00
Miss S. M. Sanders, bequest	200 00

Miss Marsh and Mr. Curley, gifts	200 00
Mrs. William J. Tatro, two gifts	50 00
Mrs. Minot L. Fowler, gift	50 00
Joseph E. Merriam, gift	150 00
Charles S. Cowdrey, bequest	100 00
George W. Holmes, bequest	200 00
Ellen M. Wood, gift	100 00
Violet W. Livingston, gift	100 00
Alvah J. Merriam, bequest	100 00
Mrs. George H. Porter, bequest	100 00
James Rafuse, gift	50 00
Carrie Betsey Wilkinson, bequest	100 00
Mary E. Stanley, gift	50 00
Mrs. E. L. Nutting, gift	50 00
Emma J. Adams, gift	100 00
E. P. Sherman, gift	100 00
George W. Price, gift	100 00
Abbie J. Lynch, bequest	50 00
Walter J. King, gift	100 00
George W. Sargent, bequest	50 00
James Rafuse, gift	100 00
Emma L. Lamb, gift	100 00
Willis H. Flagg, bequest	100 00
Mrs. Eva L. Benson, gift	200 00
Catherine Shattuck, bequest	100 00
James Hartshorn, bequest	50 00
Linus Hartshorn, bequest	50 00
Herbert Hodgman, bequest	100 00
Edwin Leedham, bequest	100 00
Mrs. Myrtle Wright, gift	100 00
Mrs. Hazel Granfors, gift	50 00
Mrs. Emma A. Hawley, gift	100 00
F. A. Robinson, gift	100 00
Mrs. Orra Belle Pease, gift	100 00
Mrs. Marian A. Buttrick, gift	50 00
E. E. Livingston, gift	100 00
Miss Bertha M. Greene, gift	100 00
Mrs. Sybil Parker, bequest	100 00
Mrs. Margaret Felch, bequest	100 00
Miss Mary N. Robbins, gift	50 00
Mrs. Nettie E. Bolton, bequest	100 00

Mrs. Emma E. Arnold, gift	50 00	
Mrs. Adelaide Leighton Parker, bequest	100 00	
M. E. Hodgman, gift	100 00	
Mrs. A. McLean, gift	100 00	
Mrs. Lottie E. Farrar, gift	100 00	
		$6,975 00

CHAMBERLIN FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY

REPORT OF TRUSTEES

Number of visitors during 1939	5,245
Number of Books loaned during 1939	3,892
Number of Magazines loaned during 1939	750
New Books added during 1939	81
New Books (gifts) during 1939	34
Fines collected during 1939	$28.05

The Trustees and the Librarian wish to thank all those who made gifts of Books and money during the year to the library. Such gifts are always welcomed, and we hope many more persons will come to realize that such gifts not only show their interest in our library, but react to the good of our whole community. The Trustees are deeply appreciative of the gift of twenty books, many of them classics, from the late Miss Grace Deering of Temple.

The Trustees deeply regret the resignation of one of our members, Mr. Chester C. Pease, made necessary by the change of his business connections from Greenville to Nashua, N. H.

E. H. Coffin, Chairman
Board of Trustees

TREASURER'S REPORT

Dr.

Balance on hand	$278 70	
Town of Greenville	500 00	
Fines on books	28 05	
Greenville Woman's Club	1 00	
		$807 75

Cr.

Isabelle Eaton, librarian	$242 05	
Greenville Electric Lighting Co.	71 48	
J. C. Taft, insurance	60 75	
New England News Co.	61 36	
Junior Literary Guild Co.	15 31	
Myrtle M. Marsh, magazines	12 70	
Flora L. Kimball, magazines	1 50	
Charles W. Roots, janitor 1939	35 00	
Wilton National Bank	2 00	
		$502 15
Unexpended balance		$305 60
		$807 75

Respectfully submitted,
J. Chamberlin Taft,
Treasurer.

WATER COMMISSIONERS' REPORT

Following is an account of receipts and expenditures for maintenance of Water Works from February 1st, 1939 to January 31st, 1940.

Received for 1933	$5 50	
Received for 1934	9 87	
Received for 1935	7 29	
Received for 1937	20 07	
Received for 1938	225 37	
Received for 1939	3,399 98	
On hand Feb. 1st, 1939	1,665 85	
Total		$5,333 93

ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE

Bernier, Ernest	$5 00
Beausoleil, Pete	10 00
Boisvert, Albina	10 00
Baillargeon, Philias	20 00
Barnes, John T.	3 00
Cloutier, C. A.	5 00
Ceteroni, Albert	5 00
Charlonne, Mrs. R.	20 00
Cleary, W. J.	11 81
Chouinard, J. Alfred	20 00
Cournoyer, David	10 00
Champagne, Moise	6 48
Caron, Joseph E.	5 23
Caron, Alfred L.	5 00
Caron, Nap	5 03
Caron, Zodique	8 00
Drinane, Mrs. John	5 00
Emond Bros.	19 35
Eaton, Clyde	25 52
Fortin, Mrs. Jean	10 00
Fortin, Albert	20 00
Fortin, Joseph H.	5 00
Fowler, John	10 00

Fournier, Gilbert	5 00	
Gauthier, Mrs. F. E.	10 20	
Greenville Mills Inc.	12 00	
Godin, Bona	5 98	
Howard, Harry	2 00	
Hartwell, Dr. Estate	5 00	
Hale, P. W.	5 71	
Jean, Orel	20 00	
Jean, Arthur	5 00	
Leblanc, Jules	10 83	
Lizotte, Emilia	5 05	
Laprise, Augustine	10 00	
Lacroix, Napoleon	10 00	
Lemay, John	5 00	
LaFreniere, Maxime	2 00	
Muhonen, Ilmar	10 00	
Newell, Ernest	10 00	
Newell, Waldo	5 00	
Ouellette, Rita	2 00	
Ouellette, Edmond	15 50	
Ouellette, Servule, Estate	21 25	
Paradis, N. J.	13 31	
Rodier, Amanda	47 53	
Rodier, John	12 31	
Turbid, Mrs. Helen	5 92	
Thompson, John	5 00	
Vaillancourt, Amedee S.	19 19	
Welch, Nora	10 00	
Total for 1939		$535 20
For 1938		$163 41
For 1937		83 67
For 1936		55 00
For 1935		111 97
For 1934		114 40
For 1933		48 67

February Maintenance

H. R. Nutting, repair chlorinator	$7 50	
John Martin, 1 Duo thermo heater	85 00	
29 lbs. of galv. iron at 12c	3 48	
Labor	4 00	
12 lbs. of galv. iron at 12c	1 44	
Labor	2 40	
Wire and roof cement	90	
Labor on roof	10 00	
Jim Desrosiers, labor at station 5 hrs.	2 00	
C. S. Bourgeois & Son:		
25 gal. oil	22 50	
Soldering	25	
2 Funnels	10	
Greenville Electric Lighting, 1988 kilowatts	92 14	
Joseph Bernier:		
Care of station, 28 days	28 00	
Plowing snow	3 00	
Repair pump, 6 hours	3 00	
Alphonse Pelletier:		
Services as commissioner for 1938	50 00	
Rosario Bernier:		
January 29—100 gal. oil	8 00	
February 9—100 gal. oil	8 00	
February 16—110 gal. oil	8 53	
February 25—50 gal. oil	3 88	
		$344 12

March Maintenance

Shoveling snow at station:	
Lionel Chouinard, 2 hours	$ 80
Bertrand Fournier, 2 hours	80
George Fournier, 2 hours	80
Raymond Ouellette, 2 hours	80
Joseph Bernier with plow, 2 hours	4 00
Care of station, 15 days	15 00
Henry Gainey, bond for treasurer	8 00
National Meter Co., 12, 5-8 gaskets	1 01
Greenville Electric Lighting, 1891 kilowatts	89 23

Rosario Bernier:		
March 10—100 gal. oil	7 75	
March 20—100 gal. oil	7 75	
Lender Co.—100 lbs. chlorine	7 50	
Alphonse Pelletier:		
Care of station, 16 days	16 00	
		$159 44

April Maintenance

Charles Jager:		
Packing 36 ft. of 5-8	$14 40	
1 sheet packing	3 78	
Albert St. Pierre, dig culvert, 8 hours	3 20	
Alphonse Pelletier, repair on pumps 35 hrs.	17 50	
Blake Pump Co., 1 gear	18 60	
Labor	6 25	
Alphonse Pelletier, care of station	30 00	
Greenville Electric Lighting, 1780 kilowatts	85 90	
C. S. Bourgeois & Son:		
Trucking on tank from Boston	1 00	
Elbows, nipples and couplings	68	
Use of gas at pump station	1 00	
Rosario Bernier:		
4—102 gal. oil	7 65	
17—100 gal. oil	7 50	
Albert Fortin, 31 hours, helper to repair pump	12 40	
		$209 86

May Maintenance

Orlando Castonguay, labor at No. 6 bridge 22 hours	$8 80	
Hypolite Fournier, repair on pump and shaft	11 00	
Armand Proulx, at No. 6 bridge, 8 hours	3 20	
Alphonse Pelletier, labor at station, 19 hours	9 50	

Care of station, 31 days	31 00	
Greenville Electric Lighting, 1910 kilowatts	89 80	
Prescott Grain Store, 7 bags cement	5 25	
Joseph Bernier work at No. 6 bridge:		
Labor 31 hours	15 50	
Load of sand	2 00	
		$176 05

June Maintenance

Paid to:		
Greenville Electric Lighting		
1943 kilowatts	$90 79	
Alphonse Pelletier		
Care of station, 30 days	30 00	
		$120 79

July Maintenance

Paid to:		
Greenville Electric Lighting:		
2041 kilowatts	$93 32	
Lillian Paradis:		
Making bills	10 00	
Stamps and envelopes	2 00	
Alphonse Pelletier:		
Care of station, 31 days	31 00	
Arthur P. Bernier:		
Reading meters	10 00	
		$146 32

August Maintenance

Paid to:		
Alphonse Pelletier,		
Care of station 31 days	$31 00	
Greenville Electric Lighting Co.		
1918 kilowatts	90 04	
F. P. Smith & Son:		
Rewind and repair bearing on motor	72 00	
C. S. Bourgeois & Son:		
Socket wrench, handle and extension	10 50	

Cam Cloutier, repair on rods, picks, etc.		6 40
J. C. Taft, 3-60 fuses		60
Labor removing and installing motor		8 60
		$219 14

September Maintenance

Changing of Pipes:		
Paid to:		
Wilfred Caouette	127 Hrs.	$50 80
Emile Proulx	77 "	30 80
Adelard Morneau	95 "	38 00
J. B. Pellerin	92 "	36 80
Albert St. Pierre	45 "	18 00
Ernest Pelletier	104 "	41 60
Ozenon Beausoleil	112 "	44 80
Patrick Beausoleil	110 "	44 00
Augustin Laprise	8½ "	3 40
Armand Proulx	5 "	2 00
Romeo Champagne	27 "	10 80
Albert Fortin	8½ "	5 95
Greenville Electric Lighting Co., 1908 Kilowatts		89 74
Alphonse Pelletier, care of station 30 days		30 00
Boston & Maine Co., freight on curb box		1 37
Joseph Bernier	144 Hrs.	86 40
Truck	1 "	1 30
Dynamite & Caps		3 55
Fitchburg Hardware, 2 pcs. steel, 22 lbs.		4 40
Braman Dow Co.		
12-¾ stops & waste cocks		
12-¾ goose necks		125 53
		$669 24

October Maintenance

Changing of Pipes, etc.		
Paid to:		
Wilfred Caouette	164 Hrs.	$65 60

Ernest Pelletier	186 "	74 40
Emile Proulx	174 "	69 60
Zenon Beausoleil	164 "	65 60
Patrick Beausoleil	165 "	66 00
Romeo Champagne	116 "	46 40
Adelard Morneau	157 "	62 80
J. B. Pellerin	42 "	16 80
William Drinane	80 "	32 00
Maurice Caouette	34 "	13 60
Albert St. Pierre	16 "	6 40
Red Hed Mfg. Co.,		
Stop & waste goose necks		48 11
New England Meter Repair Co.,		
Repair of 7 meters		18 51
Jennison Co.:		
Braze valve stem		2 75
Joseph Bernier	193 Hrs.	115 80
Truck	20 "	26 00
Dynamite & Caps		14 85
Joseph Bernier:		
Repair meter at Rectory		1 50
Shut off water at Hartwell's		1 00
Prescott Grain Store:		
2 Bags cement		70
A. J. Pelletier:		
Care of station 31 days		31 00
Greenville Electric Lighting Co.:		
1791 kilowatts		86 23
Braman Dow Co.:		
10 curb bx. & rods		41 46
New England Meter Repair		
Repair on 3 meters		11 00
		$918 11

November Maintenance

Paid to:	
Greenville Electric Lighting Co.:	
1927 kilowatts	$90 31
Hypolite Fournier	
Repair Drills	5 30

Alphonse Pelletier:		
Care of station 30 days		30 00
Labor at station 3 hrs.		1 50
C. A. Cloutier:		
Repair drills, picks, bars and shut off		13 90
Boston & Maine Freight		1 12
C. S. Bourgeois & Son		
1452 ft. pipe and supplies		194 28
Wilfrid Caouette	57 Hrs.	22 80
Zenon Beausoleil	53 "	21 20
Emile Proulx	58 "	23 20
Patrick Beausoleil	44 "	17 60
Romeo Champagne	35 "	14 00
Adelard Morneau	8 "	3 20
Albert St. Pierre	5 "	2 00
Joseph Bernier	67 "	40 20
Truck	8 "	10 40
10 gallons kerosene		1 00
		$492 01

December Maintenance

Red Hed Mfg.:		
6-¾ stop and waste		$13 17
Rosario Bernier:		
Rosario Bernier, 107 gals.oil		8 83
Greenville Electric Lighting Co.:		
1751 kilowatts		85 03
A. J. Pelletier:		
Care of station 31 days		31 00
C. S. Bourgeois & Son:		
Supplies, pipes, bushings, couplings, 5 gals. oil, wrench, and trucking		80 66
Joseph Bernier	35 Hrs.	21 00
Emile Proulx	58 "	23 20
Wilfred Caouette	8 "	3 20
Truck	8 "	10 40
		$276 49

January Maintenance

Paid to:		
Greenville Electric Lighting Co.:		
1956 kilowatt		$91 18
Putting in Meters and digging at Duval		
Paid to:		
Joseph Bernier	69 Hrs.	41 40
J. H. Bernier	44 "	17 60
Emile Proulx	76 "	30 40
Armand Proulx	2 "	80
Ernest Ouellette	3 "	1 50
Truck	6 "	6 80
Kerosene		50
Joseph Bernier:		
Shut off water at Muhonen		1 00
Joseph Bernier:		
Services as Commissioner		50 00
Henry St. Pierre:		
Reading meters		10 00
Alphonse Pelletier:		
Care of station 31 days		31 00
Labor shoveling snow 2 hrs.		1 00
Services as Commissioner		50 00
Stamps		30
Charles E. Sawyer:		
Printing Bill heads, etc.		13 50
Lillian Paradis:		
Making bills and stamps		12 00
J. C. Taft, Insurance		$25 00
C. S. Charois, Treasurer		75 00
		$458 98

Total Expenditures	$4,190 55
Cash on hand and bank	1,143 38
	$5,333 93

Respectfully submitted
JOSEPH BERNIER
ALPHONSE J. PELLETIER
CHAS. S. CHAROIS
Water Commissioners

ROAD AGENT'S REPORT

February 1939

	Hours	Amount
Alfred Chouinard, agent	119	$59 50
Alfred Chouinard, truck No. 1	105	136 50
Roland Desrosiers	41	16 40
Amedee Vaillancourt	35	14 00
Gilbert Deschene	5	2 00
Wilho Maki	110	44 00
Albert Desrosiers	24	9 60
Robert Lafleur	113	45 20
Fred Caouette	5	2 00
Melvin Lawrence	5	2 00
Lionel Emond	16	6 40
Alfred Chouinard, plow No. 1	9	18 00
Fernand St. Pierre	19	7 60
Lucien Bernier	13	5 20
Amedee Ouilette	8	3 20
Arthur Ouilette	11	4 40
Romuald Thibault	11	4 40
Charles Roots, Jr.	11	4 40
Joseph Chouinard	11	4 40
		$389 20

March 1939

	Hours	Amount
Alfred Chouinard, agent	113	$56 50
Alfred Chouinard, truck No. 1	63	81 90
Wilho Maki	70	28 00
Robert Lafleur	95	38 00
Roland Desrosiers	44	17 60
Joseph Fortin	65	26 00
Alfred Chouinard, plow No. 1	39	78 00
Amedee Vaillancourt	34	13 60
Jules Proulx	21	8 40
Arthur Ouilette	29	11 60

Adrien Desrosiers	13	5 20
Albert Desrosiers	36	14 40
Alfred Chouinard, plow No. 2	9	18 00
Melvin Lawrence	24	9 60
Roland Pellerin	16	6 40
Fernand St. Pierre	32	12 80
David Proulx	24	9 60
Victor Lizotte	24	9 60
Ernest Pelletier	24	9 60
Amedee Ouilette	24	9 60
Joseph H. Chouinard	24	9 60
Lucien Bernier	24	9 60
Joseph Caron	24	9 60
Raoul Caron	24	9 60
Joseph Robichaud	23	9 20
Wilfred Caouette	16	6 40
Robert Pelletier	16	6 40
Lionel Emond	16	6 40
Joseph N. Caron	8	3 20
Harold Reed	24	9 60
Mose Champagne	24	9 60
Ernest Fournier	5	2 00
Napoleon Vaillancourt	8	3 20
Alfred Chouinard, truck No. 2	6	7 80
Grover Blanch	6	2 40
George Silver, 180 yd. gravel at 10c per yd.		18 00
		$587 00

April 1939

	Hours	Amount
Alfred Chouinard, agent	118	$59 00
Alfred Chouinard, truck No. 1	103	133 90
Amedee Vaillancourt	25	10 00
Alfred Chouinard, plow No. 1	7	14 00
Wilho Maki	71	28 40
Robert Lafleur	63	25 20
Roland Desrosiers	40	16 00
Romuald Thibault	8	3 20
Amedee Ouilette	32	12 80

Adrien Desrosiers	26	10 40
Lionel Chouinard	16	6 40
Gerard Pelletier	16	6 40
		$325 70

May 1939

	Hours	Amount
Alfred Chouinard, agent	169	$84 50
Alfred Chouinard, truck No. 1	169	219 70
Wilho Maki	132	52 80
Robert Lafleur	120	48 00
Amedee Ouilette	40	16 00
Amedee Vaillancourt	44	17 60
Gerard Pelletier	16	6 40
Adrien Desrosiers	48	19 20
Roland Desrosiers	16	6 40
Wilfred Pelletier	29	11 60
Olivier Gagnon	32	12 80
Leon Caron	72	28 80
Albert Caron	45	18 00
Lionel Chouinard	16	6 40
Alfred J. Chouinard	56	22 40
Napoleon Fournier	37	14 80
Yvon Leger	8	3 20
Adris Leger	5	2 00
Alfred Chouinard, mixer	8	6 00
C. S. Bourgeois, supplies		8 94
		$605 54

June 1939

	Hours	Amount
Alfred Chouinard, agent	57	$28 50
Alfred Chouinard, truck No. 1	54	70 20
Wilho Maki	57	22 80
Robert Lafleur	55	22 00
		$143 50

July 1939

	Hours	Amount
Alfred Chouinard, agent	75	$37 50
Alfred Chouinard, truck No. 1	75	97 50
Wilho Maki	48	19 20
Amedee Vaillancourt	8	3 20
Wilfred Pelletier	8	3 20
Adrien Desrosiers	59	23 60
David Cournoyer	8	3 20
Fernand St. Pierre	8	3 20
Robert Lafleur	48	19 20
Romuald Thibault	24	9 60
Alfred Chouinard, mixer	42	31 50
		$250 90

August 1939

	Hours	Amount
Alfred Chouinard, agent	69	$34 50
Alfred Chouinard, truck No. 1	56	72 80
Romuald Thibault	8	3 20
Robert Lafleur	69	27 60
Wilho Maki	53	21 20
Adrien Desrosiers	45	18 00
Fernand St. Pierre	8	3 20
Amedee Vaillancourt	13	5 20
Alfred Chouinard, mixer	14	10 50
Alfred Chouinard, 2 loads of loam		5 00
		$201 20

September 1939

	Hours	Amount
Alfred Chouinard, agent	24	$12 00
Alfred Chouinard, truck No. 1	24	31 20
Wilho Maki	24	9 60
Robert Lafleur	24	9 60
Adrien Desrosiers	24	9 60
		$72 00

October 1939

	Hours	Amount
Alfred Chouinard, agent	47	$23 50
Alfred Chouinard, truck No. 1	27	37 70
Albert Caron	47	18 80
Robert Lafleur	47	18 80
Adrien Desrosiers	47	18 80
Romuald Thibault	16	6 40
Wilho Maki	15	6 00
Amedee Ouilette	21	8 40
Donat Duval	5	2 00
		$140 40

November 1939

	Hours	Amount
Alfred Chouinard, agent	89	$44 50
Alfred Chouinard, truck No. 1	102	132 60
Robert Lafleur	95	38 00
Adrien Desrosiers	103	41 20
Albert Caron	55	22 00
Donat Duval	74	29 60
Romuald Thibault	2	80
Wilho Maki	76	30 40
Yvon Leger	8	3 20
Alfred Chouinard, truck No. 2	14	18 20
		$360 50

December 1939

	Hours	Amount
Alfred Chouinard, agent	46	$23 00
Alfred Chouinard, truck No. 1	39	50 70
Romuald Thibault	8	3 20
Robert Lafleur	39	15 60
Donat Duval	5	2 00
Wilho Maki	15	6 00
Adrien Desrosiers	13	5 20
Amedee Vaillancourt	15	6 00

Alfred Chouinard, truck No. 2	6	7 80
Albert Caron	14	5 60
Alfred Chouinard, plow	7	14 00
		$139 10

JANUARY 1940

	Hours	Amount
Alfred Chouinard, agent	77	$38 50
Alfred Chouinard, truck No. 1	66	85 80
Adrien Desrosiers	47	18 80
Amedee Vaillancourt	24	9 60
Albert Caron	51	20 40
Wilho Maki	60	24 00
Alfred Chouinard, plow	27	54 00
Donat Duval	40	16 00
Gerard Pelletier	9	3 60
Alfred Chouinard, truck No. 2	6	7 80
Fernand St. Pierre	18	7 20
Joseph Caron	9	3 60
Robert Thibault	9	3 60
Joseph Dancause, Jr.	9	3 60
		$296 50

Respectfully submitted,

J. ALFRED CHOUINARD
Road Agent

AUDITORS' REPORT

We have examined the accounts of the following town officers: Selectmen, Town Treasurer, Water Commissioners, Fire Wards, Cemetery Trustees, Library Trustees, Town Clerk, Municipal Court, Tax Collector and Town Hall Rent Book for the year ending January 31, 1940, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

We find that the Road Agent's bills rendered to the Selectmen correspond with the orders issued to him.

As required by the State Tax Commission, we examined the list of unpaid taxes and found this list correct.

THOMAS C. RODGER
ALBINA CAOUETTE
Auditors

Feb. 12, 1940.

REPORT OF CHILD HEALTH CONFERENCE FOR CHILDREN OF PRE-SCHOOL AGE

Following is the report of the health work which has been done in your community by the New Hampshire State Board of Health, cooperating with the local agencies as represented through the Child Health Conference Committee.

Child Health Conference

Number held	1
" children attending	49
" found with defects	31
" defects found	37
" defects found corrected	8

Diphtheria Immunization Clinics

Number Held		1
" Children receiving treatment		13
Ages 6 months to one year	4	
Pre-school	9	

Harlan E. Karr, M. D.
Health Officer

Clara A. Hamilton
Public Health Nurse
New Hampshire State Board of Health

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OFFICERS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT
1939-1940

Moderator

	Term Expires
William H. Doonan	March, 1940

Clerk

J. Willard Buttrick	March, 1940

Treasurer

Gertrude G. Pease, (resigned)	
Marietta Fowler, (appointed)	March, 1940

School Board

Thomas C. Rodger	March, 1940
Helene Greene	March, 1941
Marian A. Buttrick	March, 1942

Superintendent

Vernon S. Ames, Wilton, N. H.

Teachers

Mrs. Edna W. LaPierre, Principal
Mrs. Neta S. Frost
Miss Elsie F. Wheeler, Music

School Physician

Dr. Harlan E. Karr

School Auditors

Harold Parkinson	March, 1940
Clyde F. Hannant	March, 1940

SCHOOL CALENDAR

1939–1940:

January 8 to February 16	7 weeks
February 26 to April 12	7 weeks
April 22 to June 14	7 weeks
Holiday: May 30	

1940–1941:

September 4 to November 26	12 weeks
December 2 to December 20	3 weeks
January 6 to February 21	7 weeks
March 3 to April 18	7 weeks
April 28 to June 13	7 weeks
Holidays: November 11 and May 30	

SCHOOL WARRANT

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the School District in the Town of Greenville qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Greenville Town Hall in said district on the 12th day of March, 1940 at nine o'clock in the forenoon to act upon the following subjects.

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.

2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.

3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.

4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year, and also the balance of the current year.

5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agent of the district.

6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.

7. To choose Agents, Auditors, and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.

8. To see if the district will vote to make any alteration in the amount of money required to be assessed for the ensuing year for the support of public schools and the payment of the Statutory obligations of the district, as determined by the school board in it's annual report.

9. To see if the district will vote to petition the State Tax Commission to have an audit made by the municipal accounting division and to make an appropriation to cover the expense of such audit.

Given under our hands at said Greenville this thirteenth day of February 1940.

THOMAS C. RODGER
HELENE GREENE
MARIAN A. BUTTRICK
School Board

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

THOMAS C. RODGER
HELENE GREENE
MARIAN A. BUTTRICK
School Board

REPORT OF SCHOOL BOARD

To the Citizens of Greenville:

High School tuition continues to be one of the largest items in the school budget. Many parents are finding it increasingly difficult to meet the transportation expense of their children attending High School. The School Board presents this problem for consideration, in view of the fact that some towns appropriate money to transport all students to High School.

SCHOOL BOARD'S ESTIMATE FOR 1940–1941
SCHOOL DISTRICT OF GREENVILLE

School Board's statement of amounts required to support public schools and meet other statutory obligations of the district for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1940.

SUPPORT OF SCHOOLS:		
Teachers' salaries	$2,300 00	
Textbooks	50 00	
Scholars' supplies	100 00	
Flags and appurtenances	10 00	
Other expenses of instruction	50 00	
Janitor service	450 00	
Fuel	350 00	
Water, light and janitor's supplies	75 00	
Minor repairs and expenses	150 00	
Medical inspection and health supervision	150 00	
Transportation of pupils	550 00	
		$4,235 00
OTHER STATUTORY REQUIREMENTS:		
Salaries of district officers	$90 00	
Truant officer and school census	30 00	
Superintendent's excess salary	160 00	
Expenses of administration	125 00	
High School tuition	3,715 00	

Per capita tax	176 00	
Insurance and other fixed charges	93 75	
		$4,389 75
Total amount required to meet School Board's Budget		$8,624 75
ESTIMATED INCOME OF DISTRICT:		
Estimated balance June 30, 1940	$999 75	
Dog tax (estimated)	125 00	
Total estimated income		$1,124 75
Assessment required to balance School Board's Budget		$7,500 00

THOMAS C. RODGER
HELENE GREENE
MARIAN A. BUTTRICK
School Board

EXPENDITURES

July 1, 1938 to June 30, 1939

Teachers' Salaries:		
Edna W. LaPierre	$1,050 00	
Neta R. Sweet	1,000 00	
Clara M. Trumbull	900 00	
Elsie F. Wheeler	200 00	
Raymond Camp	85 00	
Substitute teacher	3 00	
		$3,238 00
Janitor, Charles W. Roots		450 00
Fuel		307 14
Transportation of Pupils:		
Children under 14 years to High School	$21 60	
Elementary	494 00	
		$515 60
Tuition—High School:		
Appleton Academy	$2,298 71	
School District Milford	825 00	
School District Peterborough	100 00	
School District Townsend	181 56	
		$3,405 27
Text Books		71 96
Scholars supplies		152 30
Light & Janitor's supplies		68 39
Minor Repairs & expenses		165 07
Medical Inspection		149 28
School census		20 00
Per capita tax (statewide supervision)		170 00
Superintendent's excess salary		182 38
Other expenses of instruction		43 01
Expense of Administration		117 17
Insurance		140 63
Old Bills		
Truant Officer 1937–38	$10 00	
Graduation, 1938	9 75	
		$19 75

Salaries of District Officers:		
Thomas C. Rodger	$25 00	
Helene Greene	25 00	
Marian A. Buttrick	25 00	
Gertrude G. Pease	15 00	
		$90 00
		$9,305 95

Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS C. RODGER
HELENE GREENE
MARIAN A. BUTTRICK
School Board

REPORT OF SCHOOL TREASURER

Dr.

Cash on hand June 30, 1938		$1,718 42
Received from Town Treasurer:	$8,321 00	
Dog tax	147 00	
		$8,468 00
		$10,186 42

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Paid 160 orders drawn on Treasurer	$9,305 95
Cash on hand June 30, 1939	880 47
	$10,186 42

Respectfully submitted,
GERTRUDE G. PEASE,
Treasurer

REPORT OF SCHOOL AUDITORS

We have examined the foregoing accounts and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

CLYDE F. HANNANT
HAROLD PARKINSON
School Auditors

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Board and Citizens of Greenville:

I respectfully submit my seventeenth annual report as Superintendent of Schools.

Supervision

In my report last year I discussed the early stages of the process of learning to read, covering the work of the first two grades. I pointed out that we make several sections in each grade in order to have each pupil placed at the reading level at which he can do his best work. This procedure is now effective in the third grade as well as in the first two grades.

Sectioning by reading levels in these grades proves to be advantageous and is in itself nothing particularly new. As a given child shows readiness for the next succeeding reading level or stage, he is advanced sometimes with the same group and sometimes into the next group ahead; and of course slower learning pupils are sometimes outstripped by the others in a group and joins the next group that comes along into that stage. Each child is thus enabled to progress according to his own ability and is not forced to take the pace of faster or slower pupils.

It may prove to be more satisfactory, after some further experience with this plan, to designate pupils below the fourth grade according to reading levels instead of classifying them as grade one, grade two, or grade three; and promote from level to level at such times during the year as the children acquire mastery of the reading level in which they have been placed. Pupils would then be promoted into the fourth grade when they were ready to enter upon the study of the content subjects that usually begin in the fourth grade, and only when the pupil is ready to do so with assurance of success, whether the time required to attain such mastery has been three years or four.

Reasonable mastery of the fundamental techniques of reading is essential to the success throughout the remaining school years and to permit a child to advance before mastery is attained is to give him a handicap that may later prove disastrous, not only to his success in the content subjects, but to development of his personality or individuality.

In all our plans and procedures we must think in terms of the *individual child* and remember that he grows as a whole. This is true not only of his years in the primary grades but throughout his school life. All the time that a child is increasing in skill and in understanding, he is also forming attitudes and ideals and interests that will contribute more to the development of his personality than all of the subject matter he may be able to absorb and retain. The facts a child learns slip away quickly, but the thinking habits he acquires and the attitudes and ideals formed are apt to be permanent.

The type of report card that we had developed in the previous two years for the first and second grades is now adapted to the third grade as well. By this means we are trying to give the parent definite information as to the child's growth in reading and to point out the things that may be preventing more rapid growth. We believe this is more helpful to the parent and consequently to the child than the type of report card that merely states the child is "good," "fair," or "poor," because it is more constructive and less critical of failures and establishes a better basis for helpful conference between the parent and the teacher.

Medical Inspection

The annual medical inspection of both the Public School and the Sacred Heart School was made in November 1939, by Dr. Karr and the school nurse Mrs. Gilbert. Their report shows the following items of defects and of corrections since the examination of October 1938.

	Public School Defects	Public School Corrections	Sacred Heart School Defects	Sacred Heart School Corrections
Number of pupils examined	43		155	
Number absent	1		3	
10% underweight	0	0	32	*
Defective Vision	Incomplete	2	Incomplete	
Defective Hearing	Incomplete		Incomplete	
Cardiac Disease	3		7	
Deformity or poor posture	1		5	1
Defective Teeth	16	0	48	1
Diseased Tonsils	3	3	25	4
Adenoids	3	3	16	4
Enlarged Glands			2	0
Defective Speech			2	0
Cases of Scarlet Fever	1		1	
Cases of Pediculosis			1	
Skin Diseases			12	
Unvaccinated	0		0	

*Through the efforts of the school nurse money was provided for free milk for a period of four months for fifteen children at the Sacred Heart School, each pupil receiving one-half pint daily, and a record was kept of the gain in weight, which averaged five pounds per pupil.

At this writing the nurse and school physician are co-operating in an effort to control the spread of scarlet fever, one pupil having been taken ill with scarlet fever at the Public School. The school is closed for a week as a precautionary measure and a thorough examination of pupils at the Sacred Heart School is being made.

Plans are under consideration for a Dental Clinic but there is not yet definite assurance that funds will be available to finance one.

Budget

The budget for the school year 1940-'41 has been prepared with care. We believe that the amounts called for are the lowest amounts with which the Public School can be maintained at its

present standard of efficiency. The total amount required to meet the School Board's budget is approximately $350 less than last year, the largest item of reduction being in the estimates for high school tuition requirements. The assessment required to balance the budget is more than $1000 less than last year. There was a cash balance of approximately $880 last July as a result of accumulated savings in the years immediately preceding. It is anticipated that there will be a cash balance of several hundred dollars next July because of savings effected this year chiefly in the cost of high school tuition.

Respectfully submitted,

VERNON S. AMES,

Superintendent of Schools

Wilton, N. H., February 6, 1940.

REORGANIZED SCHOOL

The statistical tables at the end of this report show a total enrollment of fifty pupils in the Public School, but the average membership has been only about forty-three; with nine pupils probably completing the eighth grade next June, and a small number entering first grade next September, the enrollment for the school year 1940-'41 is likely to be somewhat less than it is now. It will therefore be entirely feasible to continue with two teachers instead of three. We recognize the disadvantages of this plan but the regular school work is not suffering because of the change this year. It has meant that some of the activities of the upper grades, such as programs and entertainments, have had to be curtailed.

STATISTICS FOR SCHOOL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1939

Census: No. Boys (5-16) 102; Girls 119; Total 221.
Attending Public School: Boys 29; Girls 19; Total 48.

Enrollment by Grades

School	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Total
Primary	3	9	5						17
Intermediate				5	3	4			12
Grammar							9	10	19
									48

Attendance

SCHOOL	Average Membership	Average Attendance	Per Cent of Attendance	Tardinesses Total	Tardinesses Per Pupil
Primary	15.51	14.88	95.91	19	1.12
Intermediate	11.55	11.19	96.90	2	.17
Grammar	17.22	16.71	97.04	17	.89
	44.28	42.78	96.61	38	.79
Average for State 1939-1940:			94.74		.96

Visits: By School Board Members 15
By Superintendent 90
By Citizens 108

STATISTICS FOR FIRST NINETEEN WEEKS, 1939-1940

Census: Boys (5-16) 102; Girls 114; Total 216.
Attending Public School: Boys 19; Girls 24; Total 43.
Attending Parochial School: Boys 69; Girls 73; Total 142.
Attending High School: Boys 22; Girls 20; Total 42.

Enrollment by Grades

School	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Total
Primary	5	3	8	5					21
Grammar					5	6	8	10	29
									50

Attendance

SCHOOL	Average Member-ship	Average Attend-ance	Per Cent of Attend-ance	Tardi-nesses
Primary	18.41	17.55	95.3	5
Grammar	24.31	22.88	94.1	3
	42.72	40.43	94.6	8

ROLL OF PERFECT ATTENDANCE

HOWARD GREENE, JR. (7 years)

Three Terms

Walter Muhonen

Two Terms

Ellen Muhonen, Howard LaPierre, Shirley Castonguay.

One Term

Paul Lombard	Robert Livingston	Lawrence LaPierre
Robert Arnold	William Blanch	Nathalie Castonguay
Patricia Nutting	Normand Pitts	Henry Butler
Sylvia LaPierre	Maurice Dow	Joan Rodger

VITAL STATISTICS

In compliance with a request of the Board of Selectmen of the Town of Greenville, I herewith submit the following Vital Statistics.

I hereby certify that the following return is correct according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

HENRY P. GAINEY,
Town Clerk

Births Registered in the Town of Greenville,

Date		Name of Child	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
Jan.	2	Lucien	George Desmarais	Isabelle O. Bernier
Jan.	15	Rita Cecile	Cyrille H. Thibault	Cecile G. Duclos
Mar.	7	Robert Edward	Jules E. Brassard	Lucille Gagnon
Mar.	24	Henri	Honore Rousseau	Marianne Cayer
Mar.	30	Nancy Claire	Lionel H. Emond	Beatrice R. Brunell
Apr.	6	Phyllis Marlene	Frank LaCroix	Esther Kangas
Apr.	22	Betty Ann	George L. Frost	Desneiges LaFreniere
May	15	Jean Raymond	Jean M. T. Berube	Annette D. Paradis
June	6	Leona Claire	Gilbert Fournier	Alice Cloutier
June	11	Gloria Rachel	Arthur E. Morneau	Ailene L. Caron
July	25	Gloria Anne	Romuald P. Thibault	Alice L. Fournier
Aug.	14	Harlan Eugene	Harlan E. Karr	Marion Cannon
Aug.	26	Anita Louise	Albert M. Caron	Ernestine Thibault
Aug.	27	Janet Lorraine	Antonio Proulx	Jeanette Desrosiers
Sept.	2	Joseph Rosario	Robert H. Thibault	Rose A. Pelletier
Sept.	9	Paul Warren	Oswald O. Rodier	Clara B. Beausoleil
Sept.	26	Jean Rene Robert	Amedee S. Vaillancourt, Jr.	Yvonne Fortin
Nov.	2	Marie Rosalie		Yvonne E. Michaud
Nov.	7	Charles Sebastien	Camille S. Bourgeois	Martha Petie
Dec.	2	Sandra Joan	Stanley J. Pucko	Marjorie H. Nutting

N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1939

Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother	Male or Female	No. of child
		Greenville, N. H.	Male	2
Slubber	Sanford, Me.	Greenville, N. H.	Female	1
Clerk	Canada	Canada	Male	1
Farmer	Canada	Canada	Male	7
Laborer	Greenville, N. H.	Greenville, N. H.	Female	1
Unemployed	Greenville, N. H.	Worcester, Mass.	Female	1
Mill worker	Milford, N. H.	Greenville, N. H.	Female	2
Coater, Paper mill	Fitchburg, Mass.	Greenville, N. H.	Male	1
Picket tender	Greenville, N. H.	Greenville, N. H.	Female	2
Beamer	Greenville, N. H.	Greenville, N. H.	Female	2
Laborer	Greenville, N. H.	Brunswick, Me.	Female	4
Doctor	Newport, N. H.	Hyde Park, Mass.	Male	1
Laborer	Greenville, N. H.	Greenville, N. H.	Female	4
Laborer	Greenville, N. H.	Suncook, N. H.	Female	1
Employer—Dye house	Greenville, N. H.	Greenville, N. H.	Male	4
Chief of Police	Greenville, N. H.	Greenville, N. H.	Male	5
Truck driver	New Ipswich, N. H.	Nashua, N. H.	Male	9
		Canada	Female	7
Store manager	Greenville, N. H.	Lawrence, Mass.	Male	2
Fireman	Fitchburg, Mass.	Greenville, N. H.	Female	2

Marriages Registered in the Town of Greenville,

Date 1939	Place of Marriage	Name of Groom and Bride	Residence at Time of Marriage	Occupation	Age
Feb. 4	Greenville, N. H.	Kenneth Dean Rule	Wilder, Vt.	Salesman	24
		Gertrude Mae Sawyer	Greenville, N. H.	Secretary	26
May 27	Greenville, N. H.	Ernest J. Berube	Fitchburg, Mass.	Moulder	23
		Theresa L. Paradis	Greenville, N. H.	Clerk	21
May 27	Greenville, N. H.	Raoul E. Gagnon	Greenville, N. H.	Upholsterer	26
		Claire A. Fortin	Greenville, N. H.	Machine operator	19
June 17	Greenville, N. H.	Hector P. Caouette	Greenville, N. H.	Mill operative	27
		Jeanne D. Thibault	Greenville, N. H.	Mill operative	28
June 29	Greenville, N. H.	Clarence H. Savalier	Fitchburg, Mass.	Timekeeper	24
		Alice C. Bernier	Greenville, N. H.	Bookkeeper	23
July 24	Greenville, N. H.	Angelo Seretto	Fitchburg, Mass.	Merchant	28
		Evelyn M. Leger	Greenville, N. H.	At home	26
Aug. 26	Greenville, N. H.	Raymond L. Thibault	Greenville, N. H.	Mill operative	22
		Adrienne M. Gagnon	Greenville, N. H.	Mill operative	18
Sept. 2	Greenville, N. H.	Raymond C. Vallier	Milford, N. H.	Bleachery employee	25
		Doris R. Rodier	Greenville, N. H.	Hosiery worker	20
Sept. 9	Greenville, N. H.	Albert D. Bourke	Milford, N. H.	Salesman	25
		Marie C. Caron	Greenville, N. H.	Saleslady	31
Oct. 21	Greenville, N. H.	William P. Johnson	Greenville, N. H.	Warehouse clerk	20
		Helen Maki	New Ipswich, N. H.	At home	18

Place of Birth	Names of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	By Whom Married
Wilder, Vt.	William Rule	Vershire, Vt.	Albert W. Derbyshire, Clergyman Greenville, N. H.
	Gladys Cross	Manchester, N. H.	
Greenville, N. H.	Charles E. Sawyer	New Ipswich, N. H.	
	Romela Marion Doucet	Greenville, N. H.	
Fitchburg, Mass.	Luke Berube	Fitchburg, Mass.	Leo P. Gilbert, Roman Catholic Priest Greenville, N. H.
	Diana Dion	Canada	
Greenville, N. H.	Napoleon J. Paradis	Canada	
	Clarina Christien	Greenville, N. H.	
Greenville, N. H.	Raoul Gagnon	Canada	Andre Doucet, Roman Catholic Priest Greenville, N. H.
	Urselie Caron	Canada	
Greenville, N. H.	Francois Fortin	Canada	
	Josephine Bourgault	Canada	
Greenville, N. H.	Alfred Caouette	Lebanon, N. H.	Leo P. Gilbert, Roman Catholic Priest Greenville, N. H.
	Victoria Montreuil	Canada	
Greenville, N. H.	Adelard Thibault	Canada	
	Fedora Caron	Canada	
Fitchburg, Mass.	Joseph Savalier	Fitchburg, Mass.	Andre Doucet, Roman Catholic Priest Greenville, N. H.
	Emelia Alton	Fitchburg, Mass.	
Greenville, N. H.	Joseph Bernier	Canada	
	Marie Chouinard	Canada	
Fitchburg, Mass.	Angelo Seretto	Italy	Andre Doucet, Roman Catholic Priest Greenville, N. H.
	Carolina Roma	Italy	
Fitchburg, Mass.	Napoleon Leger	Canada	
	Emma Landry	Canada	
Greenville, N. H.	Joseph E. Thibault	Canada	Andre Doucet, Roman Catholic Priest Greenville, N. H.
	Marie J. Parent	Van Buren, Me.	
Greenville, N. H.	Raoul Gagnon	Canada	
	Urselie Caron	Canada	
Berlin, N. H.	Theophile Vallier	Canada	Andre Doucet, Roman Catholic Priest Greenville, N. H.
	Melvina Brousseau	Laconia, N. H.	
Greenville, N. H.	Urgele Rodier	New Ipswich, N. H.	
	Rose Belanger	Turners Falls, Mass.	
Milford, N. H.	Joseph Bourke	Canada	Andre Doucet, Roman Catholic Priest Greenville, N. H.
	Jeanne Vigneault	Swanzey, N. H.	
Greenville, N. H.	Alfred Caron	Canada	
	Marie P. Caron	Canada	
Fitchburg, Mass.	Richard Johnson	New Ipswich, N. H.	Henry P. Gainey, Justice of the Peace Greenville, N. H.
	Annie Johnson	England	
Westminster, Mass.	Nestor Maki	Finland	
	Suoma Jarvi	Finland	

Deaths Registered in the Town of Greenville,

Date 1939	Place of Death	Name of Deceased	Age Y.	Age M.	Age D.	Place of Birth	Sex and Condition
Jan. 1	Greenville, N. H.	Louis O. Boisvert	48	1	3	Greenville, N. H.	M. M.
Jan. 13	Greenville, N. H.	Octavie Morneau	90	6	29	Canada	F. W.
Jan. 24	Greenville, N. H.	Herbert C. Hartwell	65	10	6	Woburn, Mass.	M. M.
Feb. 4	Greenville, N. H.	Martha A. Whittier	80		15	Waterford, Maine.	F. S.
Apr. 19	Greenville, N. H.	Everett E. Petts	74	9	4	East Jaffrey, N. H.	M. M.
Apr. 25	Greenville, N. H.	Margaret N. Hogan	48	8	9	Whiteport, N. Y.	F. M.
May 2	Greenville, N. H.	Olivia Desrosiers	32			Greenville, N. H.	F. M.
June 16	Greenville, N. H.	Lena H. Wheeler	68	6	24	Greenville, N. H.	F. W.
Sept. 27	Goffstown, N. H.	Annie Bennett	73		3	Ireland	F. M.
Dec. 2	Greenville, N. H.	Nestor Turpeinen	48	7		Finland	M. M.
Dec. 13	Greenville, N. H.	Marie G. Pelletier	66	11	23	Canada	F. M.

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Occupation	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
Barber	Canada	Canada	Eugene J. Boisvert	Ovila Vadeboncoeur
Housework	Canada	Canada	Clement Leclerc	Claire Fortin
Dentist	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	Frederick Hartwell	Lavinia Nichols
Watch Assembler			Jospiah Whittier	L. Octavia Blanchard
Shoemaker	Stoddard, N. H.	Morristown, Vermont	James Petts	Melissa Bailey
Housewife		Canada	Michael J. Nash	Margaret Collins
Housewife	Canada	Canada	Telesphore Lizotte	Christine Morneau
Housework	Greenville, N. H.	Attleboro, Mass.	Marshall Kimball	Louisa Allen
Housewife	Ireland	Ireland	James Green	Katherine Maloney
Farmer	Finland	Finland		
Housewife	Canada	Canada	Parfait Therriault	Adele Fournier

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